

## Bank Officers Visit Here

Torrance city officials got a visit last week from officers of the Bank of Tokyo, which will open an office in Gardena soon. Mayor Albert Isen and City Manager George Stevens received a call from Tatsuchi Shibata, president; Takao Aki, vice president and general manager; and George J. Nnagaki, director of the Bank of Tokyo of California.

The Gardena office will be at 153rd and Western Ave., a majority of the stock in the bank which came to California in 1880, is owned by the Bank of Tokyo, Japan. It was formerly known as the Yokohama Specie.

### Public Notice

**TORRANCE HERALD—303**  
ORDINANCE NO. 778  
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA, TO PROVIDE CERTAIN REGULATIONS AND PROVISIONS RELATIVE TO GROUND SIGNS.

SECTION 1: That the City Council of the City of Torrance does hereby order as follows:

SECTION 2: That sub-paragraph (a) of Section 2 is hereby repealed and the following substituted in its place:

(a) Scope. This ordinance is intended to regulate the construction, erection, alteration, repair and maintenance of all signs and their supports in the City of Torrance.

SECTION 3: That sub-paragraph (g) of Section 2 is hereby repealed and the following substituted in its place:

(g) Prohibited Locations. No sign shall project into any alley whatsoever above a height of fourteen feet (14') above grade or more than six inches (6") when over fourteen feet (14').

No sign shall be erected in such a manner that any portion of its surface or supports will interfere in any way with the free use of any fire escape, exit or stairway, or obstruct any required ventilator, door or sidewalk. No sign shall be erected on the free use of any window on the same premises.

No sign shall be erected in such a manner as to interfere with, mislead or confuse traffic and no sign may be placed or erected closer than twenty feet (20') from the exterior boundaries of any street within the City of Torrance unless such sign is affixed to a building provided, however, that the provisions of this sub-paragraph (g) shall not apply to traffic signs authorized as duly authorized by the City.

SECTION 4: This ordinance is hereby declared an urgency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, general welfare and continued progress of the City of Torrance. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately after the passage and adoption hereof.

The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once in the Torrance Herald, a semi-weekly newspaper of general circulation published and circulated in the City of Torrance.

Introduced, approved and adopted this 6th day of September, 1955.

ALBERT ISEN, Mayor of the City of Torrance.

A. H. BARTLETT, City Clerk of the City of Torrance.

**TORRANCE HERALD—302**  
CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS  
FICTITIOUS FIRM NAME  
THE UNDERSIGNED do hereby certify that they are conducting a retail furniture and appliance business at 1334 El Prado, City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, under the fictitious firm name of FRANK'S FURNITURE COMPANY and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to-wit:

FRANK G. DOMINGUEZ, Sr., 1884 9th St., Torrance, Calif.  
FRANK G. DOMINGUEZ, Jr., 30808 Greenwood Blvd., Torrance, Calif.

WITNESS our hand this 7th day of September, 1955.

FRANK G. DOMINGUEZ, SR.  
FRANK G. DOMINGUEZ, JR.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES  
ON THIS 7th day of September A. D. 1955 before me Margaret W. Dean, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Frank G. Dominguez, Sr. and Frank G. Dominguez, Jr., known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written. (Seal) MARGARET W. DEAN, Notary Public in and for said County and State. My Commission Expires May 22, 1956.

M-Sept. 12, 19, 26, Oct. 3, 1955.

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## NORTH TORRANCE TATTLER

### John K. Kesson Will Head Slate Of NTCIA Officers for 1955-56

By EVELYN WARDEN DA 9-1585

John Kesson, long-time North Torrance resident, was named president of the North Torrance Civic Improvement Assn. at a meeting held last week. He succeeds Muri Reeves.

Other new officers are Mrs. Norma Prange, vice president; Kenneth Uyeda, secretary; Bob Nesbitt, treasurer; and Willa Throop, auditor.

Chairman of the various committees will be appointed later by the president.

Parents of Cub Scouts of Den 6, Pack 761-C, were treated to breakfast out last Saturday morning.

Treated perhaps is not the proper word as the breakfast was cooked and served to them by their sons. The boys having spent the previous evening camping out in the backyard of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Towell, of 17512 Ermanita, with a few of the daring fathers are earning their outdoor cooking badges.

What better way to experiment than on mom and pop?

The annual inaugural dance of the North Torrance Civic Assn. will be held Saturday night, Sept. 24 at the Western Club in Gardena. A buffet supper will be served to all those attending. The public is invited. Tickets are \$1.75 per person including the buffet. Information and tickets may be obtained from Mrs. Helen Leitch-Weiss at DA 4-0630.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rich and daughters, Sharyn and Sylvia, of 17038 Ermanita, are entertaining his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sager and Mrs. Lydia Lambert from Redford, Mich.

Miss Sandy Gaw has been chosen as the third in the trio of pert majorettes who will represent North High School in the coming year. She joins Pat Hogan and Diane Trinitie.

The stork has visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bodoff, of 3427 W. 172nd St., leaving a smiling baby girl named Sheri Andrea.

Enjoying an afternoon off last week were Mrs. W. Towell, of 17512 Ermanita, and Mrs. A. Moss, of 17008 Ermanita. They spent the afternoon at the Carthy Circle viewing "Lunatics and Lovers."

Mrs. Joyce Truscian, of 16719 Falda, is now at home following and emergency operation. Since she will be confined to bed for awhile she would enjoy a welcome call from her many friends.

While attending a recent meeting at the Evelyn Carr School we observed the speed and efficiency of the janitors in the all out cleaning task being done in preparation for the new semester.

Mrs. A. Smiley and son are the houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hunter, of 16713 Falda.

Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. Hall, of 16717 Falda, recently motored to the Bay area for a visit with friends. Upon their return home they brought Mrs. Smiley and son with them.

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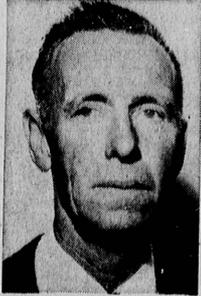
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Journeing all the way from White Bird, Ida., last week for a reunion in Torrance, was Mrs. Josephine Remington. Her destination was the home of Mrs. Lois Sanders, 17039 Delia Ave.

The reunion was the first in ten years for the Junior Mothers Club founded in 1939.

Former members who attended were Mrs. Darlene Herron, of Los Angeles; Mrs. Ruth Walsh, of South Gate; Mrs. Betty Whitlock, of Hollywood; Mrs. Hazel Stone, of Montebello; Mrs. Isabel Fisher, of Los Angeles; Mrs. Margaret Hart, of Redondo Beach; and Mrs. Lois Hoagstead, of Lawndale. They all had a wonderful time and hope to get together again in a shorter length of time than before.

Reflections  
By J. HUGH SHERFFEY, JR.

THAT PLAIN BAND RING

A plain band wedding ring is endless, symbolizing forbearance, affection and understanding. These attributes are the reinforcing to withstand the stresses and strains of passion. Without them that ring is like a circle of peppermint candy, easily shattered. Concrete, enduring as it is, without reinforcing is easily broken; a marriage without deep and abiding affection will crack with the first impact of anger. Trials and tribulations are as much as part of marriage as the highest ideals of human experience; forbearance is one element to make it enduring. To accept the vows of matrimony without understanding is attempting to build a temple without mortar.

That plain band ring represents the crest of the highest human ideals; it will endure forever with forbearance, affection and understanding.

P.S.: We, too, are married to ideals—understanding is our reinforcing.

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## Kiwanians Beat Rotarians At Golf, Lose Ball Game

More than 100 Kiwanians and Rotarians and members of their families enjoyed their annual combined picnic Thursday at Torrance park. Host club for the affair was Rotary.

Councilman Willys Blount was in charge of picnic arrangements and responsible for the fried chicken dinner served family style that set a new high in pleasing the enthusiastic turnout.

In addition to overseeing preparation of mountains of food, Blount was his usual unbeatable self on the mound as Rotary whipped Kiwanis for the

fifth straight game in the annual softball game prior to the picnic.

Blount gave up only four hits as Rotary pounded out a 5 to 0 win.

Earlier in the day the Kiwanis club eked out a victory over Rotary in the annual golf competition held at Western Avenue country club.

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